

Amendments to the Claims:

This listing of claims replaces all prior versions and listings of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims:

1. (Currently Amended) A flexible building construction laminate having
a fastening side comprising a sheet-form fastener component with hook-engageable loops
defined by a knit or non-woven web material having a basis weight of less than about 4 ounces
per square yard, and
an opposite side formed by a sheet of paper adhesively laminated to the fastener
component,
the paper significantly stiffening the web material against stretching in a plane of the
laminate, ~~while~~ the laminate having a Gurley stiffness of more than 500 milligrams, while
the paper is of such flexibility that it may be wound freely about a roll of less than one
inch radius, such that the laminate remains sufficiently flexible to be rolled up for storage and
transport.
2. (Previously Presented) The laminate of claim 1 wherein the sheet-form fastener
component is in a laterally stretched condition as laminated to the paper.
3. (Previously Presented) The laminate of claim 1 wherein the paper has a lateral stiffness
at least as great as that of 85 pound Kraft paper.
- 4-9. (Canceled)

10. (Previously Presented) The laminate of claim 1 wherein the web material comprises a non-woven web of entangled fibers, the fibers forming a sheet-form web body stabilized in a condition of at least about 50 percent areal stretch.

11. (Previously Presented) The laminate of claim 1 wherein the web material comprises a non-woven web of entangled fibers, the fibers forming a sheet-form web body stabilized in a condition of at least about 20 percent areal stretch, in which hook-engageable loops extend in clusters from tightened entanglements within the web body, the entanglements being joined together by straightened fibers, at least some of the fibers having a fiber denier of less than 3.

12. (Previously Presented) The laminate of claim 1 wherein the web material comprises a non-woven web of entangled fibers and includes a binder resin anchoring hook-engageable fibers or yarns and constituting between about 20 percent and 40 percent of the weight of the material.

13-15. (Canceled)

16. (Previously Presented) The laminate of claim 1 in roll form, with the fastening side directed inwardly.

17. (Previously Presented) The laminate of claim 1 wherein the paper has an exposed surface suitable for printing or writing thereupon.

18-31. (Canceled)

32. (New) The laminate of claim 1 wherein the knit or non-woven web material has a basis weight of less than about 2 ounces per square yard.

33. (New) The laminate of claim 1 wherein the material comprises a lightweight knit.

34. (New) The laminate of claim 1 having a Gurley stiffness of more than 750 milligrams.

35. (New) The laminate of claim 1 having a Gurley stiffness of more than 1000 milligrams.

36. (New) The laminate of claim 1 wherein the paper is of such flexibility that it may be wound freely about a roll of less than one-half inch radius.

37. (New) The laminate of claim 1 wherein the paper is of such flexibility that it will droop at projection lengths of less than 6 inches in a free cantilever projection test.

38. (New) The laminate of claim 1 wherein the paper is between 20 and 90 pound Kraft paper.

39. (New) The laminate of claim 1 wherein the hook-engageable loops are nominally less than 0.075 inch high.

40. (New) The laminate of claim 1 wherein the paper is coated with a resin film.

41. (New) The laminate of claim 40 wherein the film comprises a vapor barrier.

42. (New) The laminate of claim 1 further comprising an insecticide.

43. (New) The laminate of claim 1 further comprising a fungicide.

44. (New) The laminate of claim 1 further comprising a rodent repellant.

45. (New) The laminate of claim 1 wherein the paper comprises Glassine paper.

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46. (New) The laminate of claim 1 wherein the paper is coated with an antifriction coating.